

PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE DIVISION[645]

Adopted and Filed Emergency After Notice

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 147.76, the Board of Respiratory Care amends Chapter 5, "Fees," Iowa Administrative Code.

These amendments are consistent with the amendments to 645—Chapter 261 associated with the costs for implementation of background checks that were Adopted and Filed as **ARC 7352B** in the November 19, 2008, Iowa Administrative Bulletin.

Notice of Intended Action on these amendments was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on November 19, 2008, as **ARC 7354B**. A public hearing was held on December 9, 2008. No comments were received on the Notice of Intended Action, and the adopted amendments are identical to those published under Notice.

The amendments will benefit applicants because the amendments to 645—Chapter 5 will be consistent with the amendments to 645—Chapter 261 associated with the costs for implementation of background checks and will have the same effective date of January 1, 2009. Therefore, these amendments are filed pursuant to Iowa Code section 17A.5(2)"b"(2) and the normal effective date of these amendments is waived.

These amendments are intended to implement Iowa Code chapters 21, 147, 152B, and 272C.

These amendments became effective January 1, 2009.

The following amendments are adopted.

ITEM 1. Amend subrule 5.17(1) as follows:

5.17(1) Initial or endorsement license fee to practice respiratory care is \$120, plus the cost for evaluation of the fingerprint packet and the criminal history background checks by the Iowa division of criminal investigation (DCI) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI).

ITEM 2. Amend subrule 5.17(4) as follows:

5.17(4) Reactivation fee is \$120, plus the cost for evaluation of the fingerprint packet and the criminal history background checks by the Iowa division of criminal investigation (DCI) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) if the license has been on inactive status for two or more years.

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